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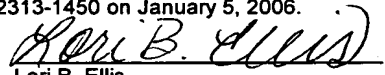
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION
REQUIREMENT PURSUANT TO 35 U.S.C § 121

Sir:

This is in response to the Action of December 5, 2005 issued in the above-identified patent application having an extendable period for response expiring on January 5, 2005. Applicants respectfully request that the application be amended, without prejudice, as follows.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.